

Cruisin' Through Construction



Interstate 215 Widening Project, San Bernardino

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Thousands Come Play on the 210 Freeway!



SANBAG's Come Play on the Freeway: The Finale! event was a huge success with thousands in attendance on the new Route 210 in San Bernardino and Rialto on June 23.

Bicycle rides, 5K and 10K runs and walks, more than 200 classic cars, a rock climbing wall, a petting zoo and dozens of food and community vendors lined the new section of Route 210, which is set to open to drivers later this year.

Hundreds took part in the 5K Marilyn Cardosi and 10K Gary Moon Memorial Run/Walks to raise funds for the Boys and Girls Clubs of Rialto and San Bernardino and the American Cancer Society.

SANBAG would like to thank all of the sponsors who contributed to the event.

Project Questions?

For questions or to request a presentation about the widening of Interstate 215, call the toll-free helpline, **I-877-215-NEWS**.



5th Street Bridge Gets Support Through Pile Driving and Columns

Construction crews working on the 5th Street bridge in San Bernardino have completed the pile driving and column work on the north side to support the new bridge.

In the weeks ahead, crews will be erecting falsework, which will require some full freeway closures at night during July. Crews also will continue to place rebar and form bridge columns, bridge ends and the sections of the bridge between the columns.

Street improvements at 5th, H, and J streets will continue in July and the coming months, with freeway and street closures issued as necessary.



Crews lift and lower I-beams used in the "falsework" for the new bridge deck.

SANBAG Wants To Keep Kids Safe During Construction

With students heading back to school soon and walking by construction sites, SANBAG and Caltrans will be helping youngsters learn about safety near these areas.

Friendly construction mascot Cone Kid will be visiting schools near Interstate 215 to educate students about construction safety. Cone Kid will attend assemblies, back-to-school nights and other school functions to talk to students about the importance of staying away from construction equipment and being careful within these zones.



To schedule a school or church youth group visit by Cone Kid, please call the I-215 construction helpline at **I-877-215-NEWS**.